

**MAY
2024**



Great Southern

LET THE SEASON BEGIN

Football is well underway in the Great Southern with three leagues starting in April and one starting in May.

- Ongerup FA - 13th
- Great Southern FL - 25th
- Southern Districts JFA - 26th
- Ravensthorpe & Districts FA - 11th

Hopetoun (RDFA) aim to make it a three-peat, whilst Albany (GSFL) and Newdegate (OFA) look to go back-to-back.



EVENTS

17 Gairdner Winter Carnival

20 Mike Stidwell Volunteer Evening

23 Year 7/8 Dockers and Eagles Cup Carnivals

GSFLW - Raging Bulls

The Mt Barker Bulls in the GSFLW have been named Premiers after a narrow 5-point victory over the Albany Sharks at Souness Park on Friday the 19th April. Albany Sharks finished on top of the ladder after losing both their regular season match-ups against the Mt Barker Bulls.

Georgia Kowald was judged Best on Ground.



EAGLES CUP



The Eagles Cup is underway for the first time since 2019 with four teams across Albany competing for the illustrious shield and ultimate bragging rights. Albany Primary, Spencer Park Primary, St Joes College and Great Southern Grammar will all play each other once across Term 2 before the Grand Final which will be played on Thursday the 13th June.



Round 1 was played on Thursday the 2nd of May.
GSG 10.7 - 67 defeated St Joes 0.2 - 2
Albany 10.9 - 69 defeated Spencer Park 7.9 - 51

Adventures of the Travelling Football

One magical football has been seen travelling around the Albany region taking pictures in front of a few lucky schools. These schools have received 10 brand-new Claremont FC and Country Football WA skill balls. What schools will the travelling football visit next? Will it be your school?



Rio Tinto Volunteer of the Year



The Rio Tinto Volunteer of the Year competition is up and running again for 2024. The competition will run for 8-weeks with a winner being named weekly. One volunteer will then be named the Great Southern Volunteer of the Year; they will receive an invite to the Sandover Medal and Volunteer of the Year Function and potentially be named The Volunteer of the Year for WA.

To nominate someone, email - jliddelow@wafc.com.au